(6) The decision of the Director of Industries and Commerce is final in all matters regarding the sale.

N.B.—There are different varieties of Hand-made Papers in the Hand-made paper articles which is in Central Industrial Workshop premises *for actual sale at reduced rates.* The intending buyers may come and make use of this opportunity to purchase his requirements.

A. M. DYAS,
Superintendent.

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OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY SERVICES IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Notification dated 17th November 1952.

(HEALTH OF LIVESTOCK DURING OCTOBER 1952).

In their order of severity, outbreaks of Rinderpest, Blackquarter, Hæmorrhagic-septicæmia, Anthrax, Ranikhet, Gastro-entritis, Sheep-pox, Contagious-goat, Pleuropneumonia and Foot and Mouth were encountered in the State during October 1952. Altogether 157 villages were reported to have been affected by one or the other of the several contagious and infectious diseases as against 167 villages during the previous month. The number of outbreaks was highest in Mandya, Bangalore and Shimoga districts, while Chitaldrug, Chikmagalur and Hassan districts were least affected. These diseases accounted for 556 attacks of which 427 succumbed. The departmental staff conducted 6,058 preventive inoculations and vaccinations against all the above diseases except Foot and Mouth disease. In the absence of a reliable method of vaccinatory intervention other prophylactic measures were adopted against Foot and Mouth disease.

Three outbreaks of Rinderpest were registered in Bagepalli Taluk accounting for 11 attacks among cattle, of which 6 succumbed. Prompt measures of control were undertaken by the department to check its spread and 504 cattle were protected against this disease. The disease appears to be well under control at the end of the month under report.

Diseases caused by internal parasites were reported from 109 villages accounting for 28 deaths as against 118 villages accounting for 41 deaths during the previous month. The special staff attached to the parasitic disease control units of the Department dosed 8,503 animals as against 7,487 animals during the previous month.

Due to widespread rains all over the State during the month, scarcity of drinking water to the livestock was removed. Fodder continued to be supplied to all the depots opened in the affected areas from Mandya District. A large number of cattle were grazing in the several forests of Mysore, Chikmagalur and Shimoga districts. At the close of the month, the fodder position improved and there is less need for anxiety.

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Notification dated 24th November 1952.

Sealed tenders duly signed by the contractors will be received by the undersigned up to 4 P.M. on 17th December 1952, for the following work :—

Name of work	Amount of estimate. Rs.	Earnest money. Rs.	Date of completion.
Constructing Milking Sheds and Calf Shed in the Dairy Farm of the Composite Livestock Farm and Research Station, Hessarghatta.	42,299	2,115	15th March 1953.

1 Specific rates should be given for each item of work in the schedule accompanying the tender and the rates should be in rupees, annas and pies and expressed both in words and figures. The rates thus tendered should hold good till the completion of the work.

2 The tender will hold good till the acceptance or otherwise by the competent authority. For lumpsum provision and for non-tendered items rates will be paid as per current schedule in the case of scheduled items and rates with 10 per cent profit for items which do not find place in the schedule of rates.

3 The tender forms can be had from the Office of the Assistant Engineer, Department of Animal Husbandry, "Kalanidhi", IV Main Road, Malleswaram P.O., Bangalore-3, free of cost, on application during working hours of the week days.

4 Each tender should accompany by a treasury chellan for having deposited the required earnest money into any Government Treasury under "Revenue Deposits", without which no tender will be entertained.

5 Plans, estimates and other particulars regarding rules, etc., can be had for inspection from the Office of the Assistant Engineer, Department of Animal Husbandry, Bangalore, between 11 A.M. and 4 P.M. on all working days.

6 The successful tenderer should bind himself to abide by the departmental rules in force and execute necessary stamped agreement within a week of acceptance of his tender failing which the earnest money will be forfeited to Government.

7 Articles which are available in the Departmental Stores will be issued or recommendation will be made to Controller of articles to issue a permit to the contractor for obtaining the materials required.

8 Specifications are those recognised by the Public Works Department, Mysore and Marryot's Specifications (P.W.D. Hand Book, Bombay). The quantities are not guaranteed, the drawings shown to the contractor are only tentative and are liable at alterations, omissions, deductions and additions at the discretion of the Director or his representative.

9 The final acceptance of the tender rests with the Director, Animal Husbandry Services in Mysore, Bangalore, who does not bind himself to accept the lowest tender or to assign any reason whatsoever for the rejection of the tenders.

10 The cover superscribed as "Tender for Constructing Milking Sheds and Calf Shed at Composite Livestock Farm, Hessarghatta", and to be addressed to the Director of Animal Husbandry Services in Mysore, Bangalore.

11 No conditional clause will be accepted. The contractor is responsible for all accidents to the workmen, etc., on the work and he must take precautions against all risk of accidents and if necessary provide for the same by Insurance at proper time. The rates tendered by the contractor should be inclusive of Sales-tax, Octroi-tax and such other tax prevailing in the area.

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Sale Notification dated 24th November 1952.

It is hereby notified for the information of the public that the annual sale of about one hundred young surplus Amritmahal Cattle will be held in public auction, by the Director or any other officer that may be deputed by him at the following places at 2 P.M. on the dates noted against each :—

Sl. No.	Sale Centre.	Date of Sale.	Other particulars.
1	Holalkere ...	5th January 1953	... Near Holalkere Railway Station.
2	Honnavalli Road.	7th do	... Near Honnavalli R Railway Station.

(1) The final bid at the open auction will only accepted by the Director, Department of Animal Husband Services or the sale conducting officer subject to condition that the bid amount is deemed to be not bel the price of the animal put up for auction. Immediat after the close of the sale the successful bidder should p up 25 per cent of the sale, amount as deposit and of suitable security for the payment of the balance. T balance of the sale amount should be paid within th days of the date of sale, failing which, the animal will resold at the risk and responsibility of the origi purchaser. If the amount realised in such resale sho result in loss to Government, such loss will be recove from the original purchaser as per rules applicable recovery of arrears of land revenue. If in case, the res should bring in a higher amount than in the original sa the original purchaser will have absolutely no claims o excess amount. The animal put up for resale will retained in charge of the department till it is sold ag at the risk and responsibility of the original defaulti highest bidder.

(2) If the sale conducting officer should have a doubt about the solvency of any of the bidders, they can permitted to bid only after depositing a sum ranging fr Rs. 100 to Rs. 150 as may be fixed by the sale conduct officer.

(3) When once a bid is offered, neither any compla can be entertained regarding the bid, nor the bidder